

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Alenka VESEL, et al.
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RESPONSE TO AUGUST 28, 2008 OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated August 28, 2008, Applicants hereby submit the following remarks and amendments to the claims. In addition, applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time up to and including February, 28, 2009.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$1,110.00 extension of time fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3) to Deposit Account No. 502190. If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account No. 502190.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.